## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of Stephanie Ayala et al. Group Art Unit: 3729 Examiner: MINH N TRINH Application No.: 09/545,288 Filing Date: April 7, 2000 Confirmation No.: 1602 METHOD FOR MAKING SMART CARDS CAPABLE OF OPERATING WITH AND WITHOUT CONTACT PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: The following extension of time is requested to: respond to Office Action dated February 11, 2005 two months to ☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated \_ An extension fee in the amount of \$ 450.00 is enclosed. ☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. ☐ Charge The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate. Respectfully submitted, BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P. P.O. Box 1404

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